

## LOCAL MENTION.

All communications should be addressed to the VIRGINIA CITIZEN, Irvington, Va.

Stonewall Dix is visiting Tom McGinnis at Ottoman.

Harry Sanders and Will Dyke, jr., are at work in Corrothman.

Miss Mary Mitchell left Monday to spend a month with relatives in North Carolina.

Baltimore prices paid for eggs by L. L. Yerby & Son, Kilmarnock.

Baptist Social Circle will meet at home of Mrs. S. B. Griffith Monday night next.

Mrs. J. D. Ashburn and little daughter returned from an extended visit to Norfolk Monday night.

Misses Lily Brewington and Leah Willing spent from Friday until Monday with Miss Julia Buck, at Weems.

Mrs. Vernon Forrest, of Baltimore, arrived Wednesday to spend some time with her mother, Mrs. Sallie Willing.

Encourage home enterprise and buy your goods from W. H. Jesse, Litwinton, Lancaster Co. Material the best, prices low, the freight saved.

Mrs. Evelyn Nunn, lady principal in Chesapeake Academy the past session, left Monday for Richmond, where she will spend the summer.

Miss Mary L. Simmons spent a few days with the Misses Blakemore, near Millenbeck, this week and attended the Chowning-Blakemore nuptials Wednesday.

The "Lucy Temple," a staunch gasoline boat, owned by Geo. N. Anderson, of Tappahannock, was here on Rile's railway a few days ago. Mr. Anderson expects to visit Jamestown a little later on his new boat, accompanied by some friends.

The medicine that sets the world thinking, The remedy on which all doctors agree, The prescription all your friends are taking is Hostetter's Rocky Mountain Tea.

R. M. Sanders, White Stone; E. C. Richardson, Kilmarnock.

The Village Improvement Association will meet tonight (Friday) at 8 o'clock in Dr. Oliver's office, over the Bank. It is desired that every member of the Association be present, the committee to report and others to help in the plans for 4th of July celebration. Friends are also invited to be present and asked to become members. The committee on decorations was omitted when other committees were published week before last. It is as follows: R. S. Mitchell, Fred W. Gunby, Alvah E. Haydon and Misses Carolyn Gunby and Myrtle Brewington.

The following are spending the week at Jamestown: Mrs. E. W. Long, Mr. and Mrs. W. McDonald, Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Hudson, Mrs. L. H. Rile, Mrs. Richard Hopkins, Mrs. B. G. Doggett, Mrs. A. P. Rowe, and Misses Kate Messick, Annie L. Long, Pauline C. Long, Ida Joe Haydon, Florence Caldwell, Nell Ford, Lillian Dunaway, Orah Lee Doggett, Grace and Rubenette Lee, Clara Wilder, Leone Willey, Ruth Messick, Nan Hopkins, Mabel Rile, and Lydia Heath, O. R. Hopkins, Riley Heath, Jas. N. Wilder, Irving and Ira Messick.

You can't tell a woman's age after she takes Hostetter's Rocky Mountain Tea. Her complexion is fine. She is round, plump, and handsome; in fact she is young again.

35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ellis C. Richardson, Kilmarnock; H. M. Sanders, White Stone.

## RELIGIOUS NOTES.

The District Missionary Meeting of Rappahannock District, M. E. Church, South, was in session Wednesday and Thursday of this week at Bethany church, Reedville.

Sunday was a red-letter day with the Urbana Methodist congregation, occasion being a dedication service of their handsome brick church free of debt, corner-stone of which was laid in 1901. Rev James Cannon, jr., D. D., president of Blackstone Female Institute, preached the dedication sermon at 11 a. m. to a large audience.

As the pastor of Heathsville M. P. circuit will be away the fourth Sunday in June there will be no preaching services at either Afton or Wicomico. Services, however, will be held at Afton in the morning by the Sunday school and the C. E. Society. June 30th being the fifth Sunday in the month, Rev. J. L. Elderdice will preach at Fairfield in the morning and attend the Children's Day services at Afton at 3 o'clock p. m.

## BLEW HIS BRAINS OUT WITH GUN.

On Saturday morning James P. McNeal, a young farmer near Lancaster Courthouse, blew the top of his head off with a double-barreled shotgun. Up to this time no cause for the tragedy has been discovered. McNeal went into his room while his wife was about her morning duties, and seating himself on a bed, where his infant child was sleeping, emptied a load of shot into his brain. Another child, four years old, was in the room. McNeal was thirty years of age. He leaves his widow and four children.

## SOME FIRES.

The hotel at Virginia Beach, the "Princess Anne," was burned to the ground Monday.

On Wednesday night of last week the store and contents belonging to William Slater, near Merry Point, Va., were destroyed by fire. The store and stock were new, Mr. Slater having been doing business there only a few months, and he was in Baltimore at the time purchasing more goods. Building and contents were insured in The Northern Neck Mutual Fire Association. Origin of fire unknown.

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## LANCASTER COUNTY.

## NUTTSVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Dawson and three children, Myrtle, Emory and Ruth, visited friends at Lottsburg Sunday.

Dr. C. T. Peirce was in Baltimore last week.

## KILMARNOCK.

Jno. A. Palmer continues very sick. Mrs. F. W. Claybrook, and a sister of Mrs. L. G. Luckham, are also sick.

Miss Genevieve Eubank, of Ottoman, is here this week. Miss Eubank and mother will soon move to this place to reside.

J. C. Kramer had a fine horse badly cut a few days ago by running into a piece of machinery at his home.

## WHEALTON.

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Lewis, Mrs. L. L. Neal, Misses Louise Lewis and Lucy Sterling, are at the Exposition this week.

F. G. Lankford and daughter, Hilda, W. W. Marshall and sons, Straughan and William, spent last week in Baltimore.

Mrs. Harper, who has been visiting her sister here, has returned to her home in Norfolk.

E. E. Rogers, who has been quite sick, is out again.

Miss Sallie Lankford left Saturday for her home in Northampton county, after spending two weeks with relatives here.

## HIAWATHA.

## OORAN.

Capt. Geo. P. Squires has been appointed by Grand Master Vaughan District Deputy Grand Master of this jurisdiction of Oddfellowship, comprising the following lodges: Millenbeck, Irvington, Little Bay, Kilmarnock, and Emmerton.

J. C. Fiddymont, of the Continuous Press Corporation, of New York, is installing two new presses at the Bellows & Squires works here.

W. H. Jefferson was in Baltimore on business last week.

G. S. Pasquith is spending this week with his family in Baltimore.

"Capt. Jack" Willing, the genial mate on steamer Enoch Pratt, is back on duty, after taking to himself a wife and spending a week at the Exposition.

H. W. Treake and son, Welford, are on the sick list.

## WEARY WILLIE.

## MILLENBECK.

Miss A. Poole, of Federicksburg, is visiting at the home of Mrs. J. W. Chowning, near Bertrand.

Those who are attending the Jamestown Exposition from Bertrand this week are: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chowning, Capt. and Mrs. Radcliffe, Misses A. and Ethel Poole, and Miss Jennie Davis.

C. L. Rogers is slightly indisposed this week.

F. J. Warren, sr., has moved to lower Middlesex, where he will reside in the future.

R. W. Doggett was at Heathsville Monday.

L. S. Scott, who has been sick for several weeks, is improving.

Mrs. C. A. Mitchell, of Molauk, is visiting friends in Baltimore this week.

Jas. A. Chowning was here on Monday last.

## IN THE GOOD OLD SUMMERTIME.

## IBERIS.

Thos. P. Towles is quite sick and under the care of Dr. Peirce.

Mrs. Alice Tucker, of King and Queen, is visiting her grand-daughter, Mrs. J. C. McKenney, at Brookvale.

Joe Douglas, of Urbana, spent from Saturday to Monday with his father, R. T. Douglass, near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hatten, of Fairfield, spent some time with Mr. Hatten's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carney, near here, last week.

U. C. Hazard has been suffering with a rising hand for some time.

Miss L. Degges, who spent some time with her parents near here, returned to her home at Durham, N. C., Sunday.

Wm. Sloan, of Brookvale, lost a horse last week.

Messrs. Carney and Pruett are building a fine house for Art Davis near Merry Point.

S. O. Lowery seems to be the banner farmer around here. Last fall he sowed one bushel crimson clover seed on two-and-a-half acre land, from which he cut and sold \$75.25 worth of hay and put away three large wagon loads in his own barn.

Schooner Kate Woodall, Capt. Raleigh Sanders, loaded ties in Corrothman for W. G. Beane last week.

Miss Lommie McKenney left Wednesday for Reedville as a delegate to the Woman's Foreign Missionary Conference in session there this week.

Mrs. T. H. Edwards, wife of the popular tax collector, is quite sick at her home near Brookvale.

## LANCASTER COURTHOUSE.

Rev. Porter Hardy, accompanied by his son and daughter, spent several days last week at the Exposition.

Rev. L. R. Combs has as his guest his relative, Miss Edrington, of Stafford county.

Ralph Chilton returned Monday from Richmond College.

Capt. Sanders and family are now comfortably domiciled in their new residence here.

Dr. Peirce and wife, of Litwinton, spent Sunday at the Rectory.

Mrs. A. A. Moody left last week to receive treatment in a hospital in Baltimore. Her many friends hope she may be greatly benefited.

Jabe Stakes, of Rehoboth, was here Sunday visiting his sister, Mrs. Mary Davenport.

Mrs. T. N. Oldham and daughter, of Emmerton, were here several days last week. They came to attend the Oldham-Combs nuptials.

Seeing no account of the commencement here on the 31st, the writer will give the names of those receiving honors. The music medal, given by Miss Mitchell, was won by Miss Essie McKenney. The two pins for neatness, given by Miss Pinckard, were won by Miss Helen Hardy and Master Danie Whittaker. The two for attendance were won by Nellie Cornwell and Leon

Sanders, neither having missed a day from school. Prof. Brent gave to several of his pupils books, as rewards, for good lessons, behavior, etc.

Mrs. H. P. Hall and son, Willard Hall, of Lancaster, have gone to Baltimore for an indefinite stay—the latter to take a position in a drug store, and his mother to be with him while from home.

## WEEMS.

Miss Laura Haywood, of Kilmarnock, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Collin Smith, at "Indiantown."

Mrs. B. G. Doggett and daughter, Miss Orah, left Sunday night for a trip to Norfolk and the Exposition.

The Methodist Aid Society will meet on Friday night of this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gaines.

Mrs. S. B. Haydon has had as her guests the past ten days her cousin, Miss Mattie Webb, and Mr. Bowles, of Reedville.

Several from this place attended the dedication at Urbana Sunday.

Julian Cockrell, of Miskimon, was in this vicinity last week.

Owing to being absent attending the reunion in Richmond, Rev. C. L. Degges did not preach at the Methodist chapel the first Sunday night as usual, but will preach the first Sunday night in July. The Methodist Sunday school expects to hold a picnic at an early date.

L. Milton Ashburn returned to his home Monday after a week's visit to friends and relatives in Baltimore.

Inspector A. S. Hardy, who has been sick for about a week, was taken to Norfolk Sunday by his physician, Dr. Newbill, for hospital treatment. An operation was performed and Mr. Hardy is getting along nicely, to the delight of his many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Luttrell, of Wheaton, spent a few days the past week at the home of Mrs. J. S. Norris.

Misses Addie Marshall, of Butyio, and Myrtle Henderson, of Anti-Rapp, are the guests of Mrs. Leah Adkins this week.

Booker Hale, who has been here the past month superintending the loading of shells for Hale & Hammell, returned to his home at Wheaton Monday.

Miss Edith Buck left Monday of last week for an indefinite stay in Baltimore.

Mrs. J. O. Dameron spent a few days the past week with her friend, Mrs. A. S. Mitchell, at Boer.

## SCOTT.

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

The fair grounds at Heathsville were sold at public auction on Monday last. R. S. Brent became the purchaser in the sum of \$2,500. This property, the front part of which is as large as a ball-room floor, immediately adjoins the already lovely home of Mr. Brent, and is a most desirable and valuable purchase. It is safe to say that where briars and broom sedge have luxuriated for years, clover, peas, corn, etc., will flourish, and the shrill cry of the fakir, together with the musical(?) notes of the merry-go-round, will no longer be heard in the land—that part of it at least.

## NOTICE THESE:

Bids for barber shop at Camp invited. Jett & Callis, Irvington, are ready to do your painting.

C. L. Shackelford, of Ottoman, has good horse for sale.

## AFRO-AMERICAN NOTES.

State Council, No. 7, of Virginia Independent Order of Good Samaritans, met in fifteenth annual session at White Stone on Wednesday and Thursday, June 5 and 6. W. D. Laws called the Council to order and after devotional exercises and the letter of welcome, read by Prof. A. T. Wright, which was responded to by Rev. Thos. Harris and Prof. C. H. Morton, both of Middlesex, Grand Worthy Chief appointed committee on credentials. Committee reported all correct and about 60 delegates in attendance, all of whom reported their lodges in good condition and on the increase in all seven counties represented. Officers were elected and installed the second day. All old officers were put back, except Rev. Thos. Harris of Middlesex, who was made Treasurer, and Mrs. Rebecca Montague assistant to Vice-Chief, these offices being unfilled at time of election on account of deaths. The council will meet next June at Leesburg, Va.

Prof. A. T. Wright, of White Stone, and Miss Lottie Wiggins, of Anti-Rapp, closed their schools with interesting programs on Friday of last week and Prof. Wright left on that day for Newport News and Richmond.

Mrs. George Plumer and sister, Mrs. Blackwell, of Lillian, were visiting Mrs. Carrie Rains and friends at Tombs the past week.

Mrs. Maggie Johnson, of Ottoman, is visiting friends at White Stone this week.

Mrs. Mary Williams, of Lively, is visiting her parents at Kilmarnock.

Mrs. Rosa Pinn, of Lillian, visited friends at White Stone the past week.

Among the sick we note: Mrs. Harriet Taylor, of Tombs, and Miss Emma Granon, of Irvington.

Rev. C. H. Morton, of Harmony Village, will preach the annual sermon for the Fishermen on the fifth Sunday in this month. All-day services.

Sunday, June 9th, was a day of service at Queen Esther church. Rev. C. Nelson preached an able sermon there that day, and everybody seemed to feel the spirit. Collection realized was \$21. Dinner was served at the church.

## R. H. H.

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MISKIMON.

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Mesdames Charles Dawson and Logan Anderson have been quite indisposed, but are up now.

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Basy Marsh, wife and little child,

## NORTHUMBERLAND CO.

## RAINSWOOD.

S. E. Headley, sr., has returned from the reunion in Richmond and the Jamestown Exposition.

Miss Marian Parcell, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Pearson, at Mundy Point, has returned home.

R. A. Cockrell, H. M. Jones, Otho Pittman, Miss Essie Pittman and Miss Bastine spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Cockrell.

Miss Lena M. Bryant, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Hull's Neck, has returned to her home near here.

Robert Lampkin, of Millenbeck, spent Sunday and Monday with L. Y. Bryant. Children's Day services will be held at Oakland M. E. church June 26th at 3 p. m.

Those on the sick list are, Dandridge Winstead, John T. Lewis and William Northern.

Miss Jennie Bryant, of Downing, spent last week with friends in this community.

## WHITE LILY.

## COAN.

Nolly Headley, who has been ill with typhoid fever some time, is slowly improving.

Jas. Hundley was at the Exposition recently.

A few days ago Mrs. Lula Reamy discovered a hen's nest in an out-of-the-way place in which she found a hen, several young chickens, some eggs unhatched and a cat and four kittens. A little out of the ordinary, yet apparently a happy group.

While playing in the house Monday morning, little Evelyn Reamy got a black-eye pea in her nose, which remained there until late afternoon, and when taken out the moisture had caused it to swell to nearly twice its normal size.

Mrs. Ida Orem has been quite sick the past week. Miss Ethel Fallin is also on the sick list.

Mrs. Will I. Reamy visited her parental home at Rainswood Saturday and Sunday. She also visited her friend, Mrs. Fannie Edwards, who is in feeble health. Mr. Reamy visited his brother in Hacks Neck Sunday.

## WHO AM I.

## HEATHSVILLE.

The union services which have been going on in the Methodist church here closed last week. There were a number of additions. Revs. Williams and Driscoll did the preaching faithfully and well. The fraternal spirit exhibited by these men of God is worthy of imitation by all of his followers.

Thos. H. Fallin is beautifying his splendid residence, "Coan Hall," on Coan river. His family expect to move there permanently in the near future. In the years that are gone this property was owned by Dr. James Smith and by his father, Col. Smith, before him. It contains about 400 acres and has little waste land.

L. J. Bramble, our model postmaster, has had his house painted. The Post-office Inspector on his last round openly stated that the office here was the best in the Northern Neck.

A very large crowd was in attendance on court day. Messrs. Mayo, Jett and Mason all made speeches. Little interest was displayed, however, in matters politic. The old time enthusiasm manifested in county elections is a thing of the past.

Our friend, James M. Booth, county treasurer, was conspicuous by his absence from his office on Monday. That his health may soon be fully restored is the wish of all of his friends.

Professor H. M. Brent left Wednesday morning for Ashland, Richmond and Jamestown.

Mrs. J. E. Nelms, accompanied by two daughters, Katie and Pauline, returned Wednesday from a three-week's trip to Baltimore.

George Walker, who has been attending Randolph-Macon Academy, is expected home Monday.

Maurice Rowe, accompanied by Carroll J. Rowe, left on Wednesday's boat for Baltimore, where the former goes to have an operation performed for appendicitis.

## BLUFF POINT.

Captain and Mrs. James Dize and grand-daughter, Hattie, are visiting on Holland's Island.

Mrs. Eliza Kent, after spending the winter with her daughter in Baltimore, is home again.

Mrs. Ambrose Cox, of Baltimore, is spending the summer at the home of W. D. Chitwood.

Frank Carter, son and daughter-in-law, of Texas, are visiting Adolphus Harding.

Mrs. Charles Wacker, jr., is visiting her mother at Relay, Md.

Carroll and Ben Hurst, Willard Lankford and Harry Hall spent last week in Baltimore.

Mrs. Clarence Brewington and little children, Ethel and Ray, of Irvington, are spending the summer at the home of Otis Crowther.

Miss Enid Kelley, a graduate of Blackstone Female Institute, arrived home last week.

Miss Una Kelley, who has been teaching at Prospect, Va., the past session, is spending the summer with her uncle.

Eugene Hall is home after an absence of nearly two years in South Carolina. Misses Earla and Edith Ball, who have been attending school at Fairfield, have returned home.

The name of the postoffice at Hope-side, Northumberland county, has been changed to Hardings, with W. Luttrell postmaster.

Our popular merchant at Byrdton has recently had an ice cream parlor built, which is a rendezvous for the young people every Friday night. Ivv.

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of Luray, Va., are spending some time at the gentleman's parental home here.

While working at the saw-mill one day last week Wharton Dawson had his leg caught between two logs and mangled so he had to be brought home.

Fortunately no bones were broken and he is now doing quite well.

Frank Haynie and wife, and Mrs. Morgan Haynie and children, of Alfonso, were visitors of Rev. and Mrs. Isaac Marsh Sunday last.

Miss Irene Dawson is spending a week with Mrs. E. J. Marsh, at Taft. Miss Florence Hinton and brother, Newton, of Lara, visited Misses Evelyn and Gertrude Cockrell Sunday.

Julian Cockrell is now engaged with T. J. Eubank, of Browns Store, in the timber business.

Mrs. Frank Edwards and son, Willie, of Sampsons Wharf, called on friends here one day last week.

Julia Cockrell spent Sunday last with friends at Wicomico Church.

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